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Flu victims up every day; now total 33

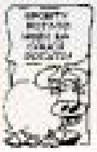
By Kristine L. Alave, Edson C. Tandoc Jr. in Manila and Kit Bagaipo and Chito Fuentes, Inquirer Visayas

THE LIST OF VICTIMS OF THE DREADed swine flu virus keeps growing by the day.

Four more people have tested positive for the virus—officially called Influenza A(H1N1)—bringing the number of confirmed cases in the Philippines, so far, to 33, the Department of Health (DOH) said yesterday.

FLU VICTIMS/A6

Soon, video games will burn calories, too



LOS ANGELES—SOON, videogamers will move their bodies and not just twitch their thumbs.

Videogame lovers are being coaxed off couches as the industry sprints ahead with a

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Ping quits 2010 race

Senator cites high cost of presidential campaign



SPLENDOR IN ST. PETERSBURG President Arroyo, who's in Russia for the St. Petersburg Economic Forum, is given a tour of the State Hermitage Museum by her hosts. With her is her husband, Mike Arroyo (left), and other members of her delegation. (Story on Page A7)

By TJ Burgonio and Michael Lim Ubac

OPPOSITION SEN. PANFILO "Ping" Lacson dropped a bombshell last night when he announced he was withdrawing from the 2010 presidential race, citing the huge expenses of waging a campaign as a reason.

"The time has come to face the reality that the intent to lead in this land in order to do good has become an enterprise only to those who have access to unlimited funds. I bow to that reality," Lacson said in his pre-recorded statement.

This was the reason he said he decided not to attend last night's televised Leadership Forum among prospective presidential candidates.

Lacson said he could have accepted the P200-million pork barrel allocated each senator every year so he could match the resources of well-moneyed candidates, but he chose not to for integrity's sake.

He said reaching out to the voters, particularly in the D and E economic levels, which comprise four-fifths of the population, was tough.

"It is most expensive in a political system which has neither strong institutions nor correct procedures," Lacson said.

Lacson rallied his supporters to look a candidate that possessed competence and character.

"Rest assured that in time, we will all join together to support a leader who could best deliver our people from the bondage they now suffer. That leader must have both the competence and character that are the preconditions to purposive leadership so imperative in these crossroads of the nation's life," he said.

Lacson's shock announcement came a day after former Senior Supt. Cezar Mancao returned from the United States possibly to become a state witness at the revival of the investigation into the 2000 twin murders of publicist Salvador "Bubby" Dacer and his driver Emmanuel Corbito.

Mancao has implicated Lacson in the twin murder case that has hounded the former Philippine National Police (PNP) chief off and on for eight years. Lacson has repeatedly denied any role in the gruesome 2000 killings.

Lacson made the announce-

PING/A8



LACSON Reality check

DOJ told: Respect Lacson's rights in Dacer case

By Michael Lim Ubac and Tina G. Santos

THE RETURN OF FORMER POLICE OFFIcer Cezar Mancao to the country to allegedly tell all he knows of the eight-year-old Dacer-Corbito double murder case was like "resurrecting the ghost of the past."

Amid claims by Sen. Panfilo Lacson that Mancao's extradition and consequent reopening of the case was a Palace "attack" on him, Sen. Rodolfo Biazon said the people were monitoring how the Department of Justice would handle the new investigation.

"Let's allow the judicial processes to provide the resolution. I think the DOJ will now be monitored and examined by the people, whether or not Lacson's constitutional rights are being respected, or the DOJ will take the shortcut to serve the interest of the administration," he said.

In an affidavit he executed before he left the United States, Mancao implicated Lac-

DOJ TOLD/A11

House's next move: Take on senators one at a time

By Gil C. Cabacungan Jr.

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES is moving to the next stage of its Charter Change Express unmoved by the growing protests against the perceived move to extend the terms of President Macapagal-Arroyo and her allies.

Nueva Ecija Rep. Rodolfo Antonino of Lakas-Kampi CMD said the chamber's leaders were preparing to send House Resolution No. 1109 to senators "individually, and not as an institution," for their endorsement.

HR 1109 seeks the convening of a constituent assembly (Con-ass) with the House and the Senate voting jointly on proposed amendments to the Constitution. Its passage was rushed on Tuesday night by the House majority interpreting a vague constitutional provision that the Con-ass is formed by a majority of Congress as a whole and not as separate chambers.

"It's up to the individual senators to endorse it. But we will go on to the next stage—convening a constituent assembly—with or without them. It's up to them if they will participate," Antonino said in an interview.

Based on the House majority's interpretation, Antonino

HOUSE'S/A6

4 Pinoy HS students win awards in US science fair

By Edson C. Tandoc Jr.

FOUR FILIPINO HIGH SCHOOL students have won prizes in an international science competition, proving that science education is alive and well and thriving in the Philippines.

Sixteen-year-old Jovani Tomale's passion for numbers is helping save the Philippine Eagle and has earned for him second prize in the Animal Sciences category during the International Science and Engineering Fair (Intel ISEF) held in the United States last month.

Two other high school science projects won in the Intel ISEF competition: One by Kevin Jee David, 16, and Owen Ailes Dumarang, 16, and another by Angela Joyce Yap-Uy, 14.

The annual contest, sponsored by Intel Corp., brought together some 1,600 students from 50 countries. Nine students from the Philippines competed by presenting six science projects.

Tomale came up with a mathematical formula to help identify the sex of an eagle, proving that tinkering with numbers and equations is both fun and relevant.

"This is my share to save the

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Muslim world listens as Obama speaks

WASHINGTON—THERE HE was, in the heart of the Muslim world, explaining the American mind-set to Muslims and the world of Islam to Americans, with the bearing of a college professor.

In his long-awaited speech at the University of Cairo, US President Barack Obama took a measured, on-the-one-hand, on-the-other-hand approach to some of the most charged issues on the planet.

There were no new policy pronouncements on the Mideast, Afghanistan, nuclear weapons or other flash points in the Muslim world.

Instead, the speech was an attempt to at least get people talking—and listening—again.

"What's new here is that people are listening to this president," said Shibley Telhami, a professor at the University of Maryland. "They heard him sympathize with their issues. They heard him express an understanding not only of their religion and culture, but their issues."

The president may have empathized, but he didn't excuse.

As he has done in past speeches on the difficult issues of race and abortion, Obama seemed to position himself as a sort of neutral mediator, laying out the legitimate grievances of both sides—in this case, most notably the Israelis and Palestinians.

There were 37 "buts" in his speech Thursday, many employed in the course of even-handedness.

• The fears and angers provoked in Americans by the Sept. 11, 2001 attacks were understandable, he said, "but in some cases it led us to act contrary to our traditions and our ideals."

MUSLIM/A11



OBAMA BY THE SPHINX The US president tours the Great Pyramids of Giza while in Cairo, Egypt, on Thursday. REUTERS

Biazon: Soldiers may join protests

By Michael Lim Ubac, TJ Burgonio and Allison W. Lopez

RETIRED SOLDIERS AND OFFIcers may join the planned mass actions to protest Charter change (Cha-cha) and the passage of House Resolution No. 1109, Sen. Rodolfo Biazon warned yesterday.

Biazon, a former Armed Forces chief of staff, said it was a "miscalculation" on the part of the resolution's proponents to push its midnight passage. He said soldiers who were seeing "a mockery of the Constitution" were asking: "Is this the institution worth dying for, worth protecting?"

But it's "not too late," he said, adding: "I propose that the proponents withdraw [the resolu-

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9 Moro rebs slain in clash

COTABATO CITY—THE MILITARY YESTERDAY claimed that at least nine rebels belonging to the Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF) have been killed in clashes that prevented another raid by the separatist organization on civilian communities.

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Military cordon

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Kato's campaign

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Family feud

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Navy counters: Whistle-blower forum-shopping

By Tarra Quismundo

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PDEA clears Red Bull of cocaine content

By Tarra Quismundo

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Crame turns into Sesame Street

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LOWER GENERATION CHARGE

Meralco rates down this month

By Amy R. Remo

CUSTOMERS of the Manila Electric Co. (Meralco), the country's biggest power distributor, can expect their June electricity bills to go down by 16.32 centavos per kilowatt hour as the generation charge for the month was reduced to P4.2345 per kWh.

This means that households consuming 100 kWh of electricity a month will see their June bills drop by P29.54, against the May billing of P977.80, according to Meralco external communications manager Joe R. Zaldarriaga.

Significant drop

Those consuming 200 kWh a month can expect their electricity bills to fall by P58.02 this month, while households with a 300-kWh monthly consumption will see their June bills go down by P[illegible].

This is the second straight month that the Meralco generation charge registered a significant drop. Last month, generation charges fell by 59.70 centavos per kWh.

According to Zaldarriaga, the June generation charge is the lowest that it has been since March 2008.

Decrease in prices

The reduction in the generation charge this month was attributed in part to the overall P2.6115 per kWh decrease in the electricity prices at the Wholesale Electricity Spot Market (WESM).

One of Meralco's independent power suppliers, First Gas Corp., also experienced a reduction in its generation costs, mainly as a result of lower fuel prices, he added.

The generation charges of First Gas' 500-MW San Lorenzo plant in Batangas fell by 12.58 centavos per kWh while its 1,000-MW Sta. Rita plant registered a drop of 2.42 centavos per kWh, Zaldarriaga said.

The Lopez-led Meralco sources its power from the WESM, the state-owned National Power Corp. and from its affiliated independent power producers, the Lopez-owned First Gas.

In May, state-owned National Power Corp. supplied 38 percent of Meralco's power requirements, while WESM supplied 15 percent.

Savings

In the same month, Meralco sourced 47 percent of its power from First Gas' San Lorenzo and Sta. Rita plants, and from Quezon Power, another IPP which operates a 440-megawatt coal-fired power plant in Luzon with a 33-kilometer transmission line.

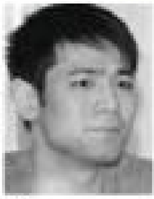
"We have always maintained that whatever savings we incur from the cost of power we obtain from our suppliers would be passed on to our customers in the form of lower electricity bills," Zaldarriaga said.





NBI files case vs Kho for sexual violence

By Jeannette I. Andrade



KHO

Act of violence

Lost income

Initial filing



A GIRL treads through neck-deep flood water in Barangay Dumpalit in Pitalbon.

If rains let up, don't be fooled—Pagasa

Gale warning

Too late, too early

Teachers warned vs uniform suppliers



Missing RP seaman's kin flying to Paris for crash vigil

Surprise homecoming

Bank sends home 30 employees as consultant falls ill

By Allison W. Lopez and Doris C. Dumlao

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Flu victims up every day; now 33

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Missing virus carrier

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Rosales: Receive communion by hand



ROSALES

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Monitor foreign students

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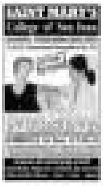
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Comelec body clears Smartmatic

By Kristine L. Alave

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Ping quits 2010 race, cites cash flow woes

Recto: House 'reso' may shock RP economy

House's ...

Biazon: Soldiers may protest; Lim's call indicator

PNP: Security for regular rally

ST. PETERSBURG ECONOMIC FORUM

GMA: RP to invest in food, energy



PRESIDENT Macapagal-Arroyo is welcomed by Russian counterpart Dmitry Medvedev at the St. Petersburg Economic Forum Friday.

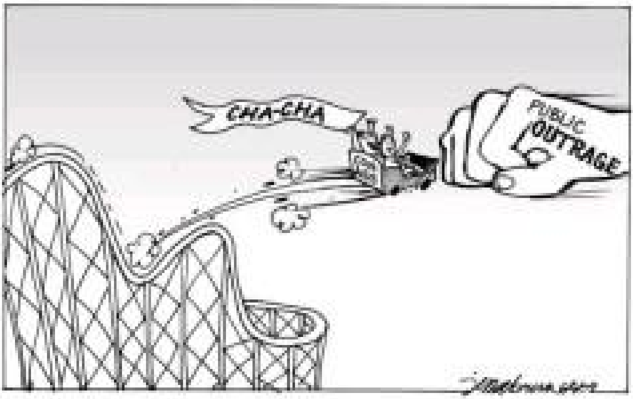
Citizens can sue local gov't execs for environment

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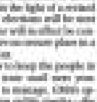
Randy David



Fernando's out-of-sight aces

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Solita Collas-Monsod



The ABCs of survey research capacity

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Fearless

History won't be kind to RP's present leaders

Computer illiterate 'solons' unmasked

LETTERS

Political arrogance in HR 1109 passage



It's Burma's generals who should be persecuted

Across the NATION

Baguio won't heed GSIS eviction notice

BAGUIO CITY—THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE Insurance System (GSIS) has kicked out offices of the city government from the Baguio Convention Center, where the 1978 world chess championship between Russian grandmasters Viktor Korchnoi and Anatoly Karpov took place.

Heavy rains stop classes, change road traffic routes



Preneed firm lists reasons for delay in pay certificate

Officials of town hosting plantations defend chemical use

"We could no longer endure the humiliation brought by this controversy..."



DANGEROUS STREETS

DOH reminder: Dengue more efficient killer

INQUIRER *Visayas*

Medicines made affordable in E. Visayas



New shoes for orphaned Guinsaugon schoolchildren



DOJ told: Respect Lacson's rights

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Stay of oil depot challenged anew

Atienza cites toxic risks to city residents in raps filed vs Lim

By Tina G. Santos

ENVIRONMENT SECRETARY LITO ATIENZA AND 14 Manila councilors yesterday filed charges against Mayor Alfredo Lim for approving an ordinance allowing "highly pollutive and extremely hazardous" industries, including the Pandacan oil depot, to permanently stay in the city.

In a 51-page petition for prohibition, mandamus and certiorari submitted to the Supreme Court, Atienza questioned the validity and legality of Manila Ordinance 8187 (formerly draft ordinance 7177), saying "it defies the Constitution which guarantees each and every Filipino the right to a clean and healthy environment at all times."

At the same time, the petition prayed for an issuance of a temporary restraining order on the controversial ordinance to prevent its implementation.

"The pro-oil depot ordinance makes Manila the toxic capital of the country that will kill Manilans. Not only do I find this local legislation illogical and irresponsible, I believe it is illegal," Atienza said.

"Especially now that climate change has become a global issue drawing more human awareness and concern, nowhere in the world can an ill-crafted piece of legislation be accepted," he added.

Other petitioners include Manila 6th district Rep. Benny Abante, Councilors Bonjay Isip-Garcia, Joy Dawis-Asuncion and Che Borromeo, among others. They were also joined by ordinary city folk and residents.

Also named respondents were Vice Mayor Francisco "Isko Moreno" Domagoso and the 28 councilors who were proponents of the ordinance.

The petitioners cited several frightening incidents that have dogged the depots' existence.

"On March 23, 1986, liquid from the oil depots overflowed and caused panic among residents. On June 23, 2008, a defective tanker with 2,000 liters of gasoline and 14,000 liters of diesel exploded, not far from the depots," Garcia said. "The Supreme Court itself cited the incident in a decision, reporting that if the 162 up to 211 million liters of petroleum products in the depots would explode."

Renato dela Cruz, city legal officer, said they have yet to receive a copy of the complaint. He added the petitioners apparently violated some rules of law.

"They did not observe the rule on hierarchy of courts. When you ask for judicial relief, you should go first to a lower court, not directly to the Supreme Court," he said.



CHINESE DANCE
Sen. Loren B. Legarda shares her talent with the Chiang Kai Shek High School dance troupe as part of activities held at the Rizal Park Friday by the Federation of Filipino-Chinese Chambers of Commerce and Industry in celebration of the World Environment Day.

Case vs Ayala over UP site junked

THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURT of Quezon City Branch 217 dismissed yesterday the complaint for injunction filed by Domingo A. Cabero against Ayala Land, Inc. (ALI) and Makati Development Corporation (MDC).

In his order, Judge Santiago M. Arenas cited the Supreme Court decision which upheld the title of the University of the Philippines and declared Cabero's TCT No. [illegible] as void.

In its decision, the Supreme Court warned that "[illegible] be viewed as a deliberate intent to sabotage the rule of law and will no longer be countenanced."

Suspect in Soneja slay try held, freed

2 cops linked to extortion case face raps



WATER WORLD

Dentist, wife lose P5-M in cash, gadgets

Ex-MRT exec says train's midnight run better, safer

Gonzalez GMA rabid defender no more

ON TARGET

Ramon Tulfo



Case vs Ayala ...

METROBRIEFS

Parañaque tax take: P2-B

2 billboards toppled

Letran classes on June 15

US lawmakers seek to ease family immigration

Royal D-Day row reveals divide over WWII roles



DAVID Carradine during the filming of CBS' "Kung Fu: The Movie" in photo taken on Jan. 7, 1986.

Carradine may have died from a sex act gone wrong

Tiananmen leaders question China's rise

Husband drowned bride during their honeymoon



DAVID Gabriel Watson (left) and Christina Mae Watson on their engagement

The WORLD

No debris: Airbus crash mystery deepens

FERNANDO DE NORONHA, BRAZIL—THE MYSTERY surrounding the crash of an Air France plane off the coast of Brazil deepened Friday after Brazilian officials said items they had pulled from the sea were not in fact debris from the downed Airbus.

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AFP

Pakistan Army chief: Tide turned in Swat



AN INTERNALLY displaced girl fleeing from a military offensive in the Swat valley region

ISLAMABAD—PAKISTAN'S ARMY had "turned the tide" against Taliban fighters [illegible]

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Reuters

5th UK minister resigns, piling pressure on Brown

LONDON—PRIME MINISTER Gordon Brown [illegible]

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AP

N. Korea: No word about US reporters

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WHAT'S INSIDE

■ Safina, Kuznetsova renew rivalry



SPORTS

Rains wash out baseball games

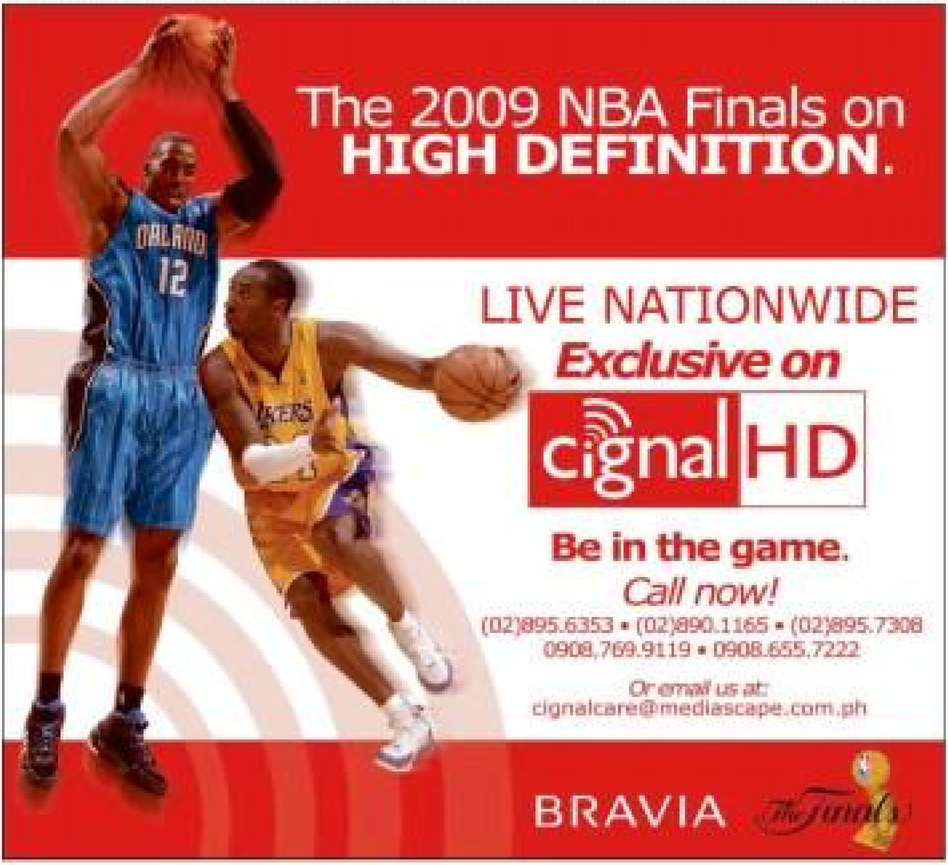
RP 5 gets going vs Malaysians

Guiao says Seaba tilt 'bonding time'

MEDAN, INDONESIA—BONDING TIME STARTS for Powerade-Pilipinas.



Maddening memories of Medan make Duremdes cringe



Amit eliminates Kelly; Go shown door

By Cedelf P. Tupas



DESPAIR Gillian Go slumps into her chair.

Pacquiao says Mosley fight claim untrue



PACQUIAO Funny that I am the last to know about this supposed fight.

Sumampong fells Bayron; Ababa comes out smoking

Varsity aces Cruz, Menor PBA Draft early birds

By Cedelf P. Tupas



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8 Davao Norte pugs gain Abap Minda semis

By June Navarro

Search on for missing Orlando Magic

BARE EYE



Recah Trinidad

Adamson, Pampanga lady batters duel for Open title

Russian roulette in French Open

Safina, Kuznetsova renew decade-old rivalry



KUZNETSOVA: All business



DINARA: Safina hopes to validate her No. 1 ranking by winning her first Grand Slam trophy.

Tabora seizes tenpin championships lead, spotlight

By Marc Anthony Reyes

PBL: Titans turn troubles into triumph

By Cedelf P. Tupas



La Salle ends slide; Ateneo withdraws

By Cedelf P. Tupas

6th straight title within Tiu's grasp

Chiz backs PSC charges vs former wushu head



ESCUDERO

SJC International Derby semifinals fires off today

SPORTS



Kobe simply magical

Poof! goes Orlando as Lakers star waxes hot





Partners Cup gets going today

Medrano tops Cebu karting



BUSINESS

Inflation hits 18-month low of 3.3%

May level brings average for first 5 months to 5.8%

THE RATE OF INCREASE IN CONSUMER PRICES continued to dip in May, settling at an 18-month low of 3.3 percent year-on-year from 4.8 percent in April, according to the National Statistics Office's latest report on inflation.

INDICATORS

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Stocks close higher

STOCK CONVERSION PLAN

SMC to list preferred shares

BSP sees more room for rate cuts



TETANGCO

First Pacific not selling water, tollroad subsidiaries



GIR reached $39.3B in May

GSIS, IBM trades lawsuits

Agri execs see up to 2% growth in 2nd quarter rice production

Banks' FCDUs dropped 46% in 2008

Philippine Stock Exchange

Currencies

SCIENCE/HEALTH

Defense vs bacteria, viruses

By Tessa R. Salazar

As the Philippines continues to come to grips with the ever-increasing number of A(H1N1) flu cases within its shores, and as the world awaits the development of a vaccine specifically aimed at the flu strain, a wary public has taken a closer look at their bodies' own natural immune systems—and how that could help them ward off many of the serious effects of many illnesses and not just of the latest influenza strain.



Safeguard body's health

Ways to help immune system

2 diseases that could kill

By Charles E. Buban

Exacerbated

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Paradox in heart failure

MEDICAL FILES



Rafael Castillo, M.D.

Risk factor

Possible hypotheses

Monkeys, mice and men

DISCOVER



A better animal model

Genetic info of rodent

Editor Cesar D. Mangawang

PROPERTY







EXTERNAL view of the chapel of Alegria Hills

The chapel of Alegria Hills

LIVING ARCHITECTURE



Marcus de Guzman Jr.

City needs more green spaces—Facebook group

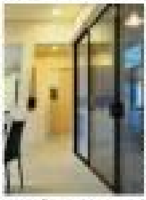
THE WIDELY POPULAR social networking site Facebook has now become a sounding board for concerned urban residents of Metro Manila.

Discussion board

Creating angles of interest

DESIGN DIMENSIONS





VARIOUS angles and a repeated layering of these elements pull this view together and turn it into an interesting focal point.



ART meets architecture: slanted walls and ceiling come together into a sculptural interior space.

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LIFESTYLE

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7 days of style

By Kat Cruz

Day 1: International relations



FALL IN love with Indian-inspired designs that speak volumes in foreign fashion language.

Mix and match your fave basics with hot items and accessories for an A-grade in back-to-school style

Day 2: Teacher's pet



BRIGHT colored prints combined with schoolgirl stripes get you on the honor roll of style.

Day 3: Short cut



GET AHEAD of the class in chic shorts, comfy moccasins, and an easy drawstring bag.

Digital passion: the Bonifacio Global City Vision Digital Open

By Ruby de Vera

TODAY, almost everything has a digital version, including art. For this year's Passionfest, Bonifacio Global City (BGC) found it only appropriate to hold the Vision Digital Open, a digital photography and short film contest open to all non-professionals, students, and non-students. Participants went around BGC to take pictures and video footages to adhere to this year's theme, "Passion at the Bonifacio Global City". BGC is the perfect backdrop for expressing their passion for photography and filmmaking.



BHS Park Bonding Time by Jose Melencio Brillo, First Place, Digital Photography

The Contest

Out of almost 500 entries in the photo contest, 48 entries emerged as finalists, judged by top photographers John Chua, Francis Abraham and Jay Tablante. The judges were very happy with the finalists. John Chua remarked that the entries were very well executed and indeed expressed passion, not only about BGC but also for the craft.

Their advice to snapshooters out there: you don't really need expensive cameras. "Even cellphones will do," Francis Abraham said, debunking the myth that high-end equipments are required to take passionate pictures. There are no uninteresting subjects, only if you know how to look. "Keep taking photos, always bring a camera, and shoot everything and anything," Abraham adds.



Judges Mark Meily and Nap Jamir, with the winners of the BGC Digital Open video competition: Victor Villanueva and team (1st place), Glen Parma (3rd place), Raul Mendoza (2nd place), Sigourney Tullo (City's Choice), FBDC Executive Vice President Meneo B. Dy and FBDC Head of Commercial Operations Noel B. Kintanar

For the short film category, 13 entries made it to the finals. Multi-award winning film directors Mark Meily, Nap Jamir, and Chris Martinez judged the films. Meily was especially amazed at how well the participants turned in excellent videos, and both him and Jamir wished that they could give awards to everyone who joined.

They remarked that it was hard to declare winners for this category, as they were not expecting to see so many good entries. In fact, instead of the usual three winners, they also included a special award for "Circuit", a short film by Sigourney Tullo.

"After this, the passion doesn't stop... they keep doing what they love to do," Meily said after learning that the participants would go on to make more short films after the contest. Jamir added that some the participants did not go to school to study film, they just loved doing it.

The Awarding

The awarding of the winners of the Vision Digital Open was held on May 30 at the BGC Arts Festival. The winners in the photo contest were Jose Melencio Brillo, who bagged the top prize, Ana Rizza Florendo went home with the second prize, and third place winner Ponsonic Caballes Jr. won P10,000. Brillo and Florendo are hobbyists and hold day jobs, but took the time to join the contest because of the chance to shoot BGC.



FBDC Officers Noel B. Kintanar and Meneo B. Dy with winners of the BGC Digital Open Photo competition Jose Melencio Brillo (1st place), Ana Rizza Florendo (2nd place), and judge photographers John Chua and Francis Abraham

The short film winners were Victor Villanueva for "Little Stories" (First Place), Raul Mendoza for "Organic Restart" (Second Place), Glen Parma for "Edge of the Ocean" (Third Place), and Sigourney Tullo for "Circuit" (City's Choice Special Award). First, second and third prize winners for both photo and short film categories took home P20,000, P15,000, and P10,000 respectively.

The winners in the short film category were young people who were mostly new college graduates. They wrote, directed, shot and edited their entries themselves with help from their crew, ranging from a two-man team to another with ten members. On average, it took the participants less than a week to finish their short films.

The Bonifacio Global City's Passionfest is held annually to celebrate art and the unique hobbies and passions of the people. As a "home of the passionate minds", BGC has always encouraged people to pursue their passions among the open spaces where creativity is welcome.



THE FORT Cityscape by Ana Rizza Florendo, Second Place, Digital Photography



PASSION for Travel by Ponsonic Caballes Jr., Third Place, Digital Photography

Harpist, singer, songwriter —meet Noelle Cassandra



Amazingly, she's only 26 years old

TO BE THE COUNTRY's only harpist, singer and songwriter—at 26 years old—sounds amazing enough. Yet there is more to Noelle Cassandra than that. She also happens to be a woman of sophistication, beauty and strength.

Coming home

Achievements



LIVING dolls



BARBIES on parade

It was one Barbie experience

By Armelle S. Tayao

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Barbie-inspired fashion designs

Classic and modern

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Barbie exhibit

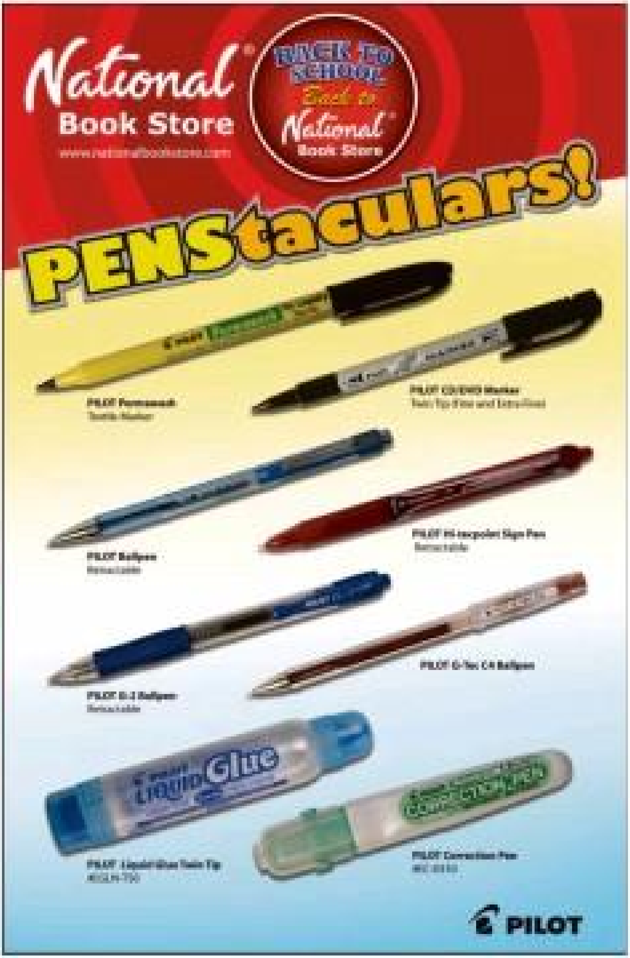
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FASHION Week parade





Day 4: Campus star



START the school year in fashion with [illegible]



CHANNEL the decadent '80s in neon hues and an acid wash denim jacket.

Day 5: History class

Day 6: Schoolgirl



TRADE regular shorts for girly [illegible] up with a touch of feline sparkle.

Day 7: Romper room



TAKE a summer staple to the leisure halls by topping it off with a sleek blazer.

7 days of style

From page C3

Basic items



RED COTTON shorts, P999, Kamiseta

BLUE [illegible] blazer, P599.75, Body at SM Department Store

PURPLE cotton tunic dress, P499.75, Shopaholic at SM Department Store

FUCHSIA [illegible] top, P499, [illegible] at People Are People

KHAKI cotton vest, P865, Bayo

CREAM floral silk balloned top, P1,330, Mango

Hot items



ACID-washed denim jacket, P1,850, Mango

GRAY seersucker striped jumpsuit, P1,330, Mango

GREEN cotton culottes, P899, Kamiseta

MAGENTA floral blouse, P2,990, EDC

DENIM jodhpur pants, P1,[illegible], Promod

Accessories



TRI-COLOR silk scarf, P1,490, EDC

WHITE leather belt, P2,690, EDC

YELLOW patent wedged shoes, P499.75, Parisian [illegible] at SM Department Store

GRAY patent lace up shoes, P2,199, Tobe

KHAKI canvas and blue patent moccasins, P1,[illegible], Bebe

MIXED medium bangles, P999, Forme



MULTICOLORED woven belt, P1,[illegible], Mango

BLUE and cream [illegible] drawstring bag, P2,[illegible], Mango

BLUE jersey headband, P175, Bayo

CREAM polka dot canvas tote, P899, Kamiseta

MULTI-BEAD necklace, price available upon request, [illegible]

AQUA patent shoulder bag, P2,490, EDC

Guys

and their jeans



ON ANDY: [illegible] Levi's [illegible] Zara [illegible] Springfield [illegible]

ON CHRIS: [illegible] Springfield [illegible]

By Luis Carlo Ranjuan

THESE FILIPINO-AUSTRALIAN models who are now quasi-celebrities are living the life here. Doors have been opened for them, thanks to a combination of that friendly Ozzie vibe and Pinoy spunk.

Before moving to the Philippines, Andy [illegible] was a tennis pro. He was doing the tennis tournament circuit in the US, Canada and Australia until an injury forced him out of the [illegible].

He decided to fly to the Philippines on a holiday after quitting his 9-to-5 job in [illegible], Australia. It was on that trip when he was spotted by his present manager. He's now part of GMA's [illegible] show "[illegible]." He also won the [illegible] last year.

It has been two years now, and life couldn't be better for him.

What's your jeans style?

Most times it would be fairly simple, either darker or lighter blue, sometimes I go for colored jeans that's in fashion, like black, red or blue but I need to be in the mood for the colored ones.

What's your favorite jeans?

Bench, [illegible], Topman and Zara because their cuts fit me well and I like their style.

How often do you wear jeans?

I wear jeans a lot, most times I go out or if I have a show or [illegible] to go to, I'll be in jeans.

What do you like most about it?

Well jeans are really easy to match with shoes and tops. They fit well, you can also get jeans that make you look dressed up, or you can get jeans that make you look casual so you can pretty much style it to suit the place or event you are attending. It's my standard for most outfits.

How does it speak of your character and personality?

For me a pair of jeans can almost tell you what that person is into or what they like. For example if you wear skinny jeans (not skin-tight jeans) most times I would say that person is fashion-conscious and takes a little more time to prepare. If you are in relaxed jeans I'd say you're the kind who likes to be comfortable in what you wear but not to look too dressed up. If you sport baggy jeans, there's a hip-hop influence there.

How long have you been a jeans guy?

I have been sporting jeans since a very young age because I've loved the style of jeans ever since I could remember.

Crazy and wacky Chris Cayzer, was the life of the show. Born in Brisbane, he's the type of person whose life has been defined by music. Even as a kid, he'd lug around his guitar. This early it was obvious he was passionate about his music.

He's now working on his second album. He works on his songs even during the shoot, and shares some of his tracks with the people around. He's inspired by the likes of John Mayer, Rob Thomas, Matchbox 20, and James Taylor.

He worked two jobs in Australia before deciding to have a long vacation here. Now aside from being a recording artist, he stars on SOP on GMA 7 every Sunday.

What's your jeans style?

Low waist.

What's your favorite jeans?

My black skinny jeans.

What do you like most about your pair?

It's comfortable.

How does it speak of your character and personality?

I can be myself.

How long have you had it?

A year.

LifeStyle





Clean and natural for school

Avoid the makeup mistakes that freshmen often make









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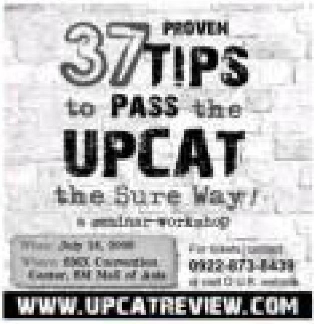
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Cover all bases

It's all in the details

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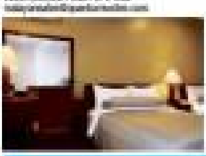






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Who wants Archie to get married?

By Bianca Consunji

"NOOOOOOO!" MOANED a legion of girls-next-door when news reports that comic book icon Archie Andrews finally proposed to Veronica Lodge first came out. The idea that Archie finally chose between the two girls after 68 years (Archie first came out in 1941, and Betty and Veronica have been fighting over him since then) was inconceivable, but for him to pick the flighty, spoiled brunette over the wholesome, all-around blonde? Unbelievable.

The story will be fleshed out in the 600th issue of the Archie comic book series in September as part of a six-book series called "The Proposal: Archie Marries Veronica." A sneak peek of the cover was released to the public a couple of weeks ago, depicting Archie kneeling before Veronica with a ring. (Her speech balloon shows an emphatic "Yes!" as a sobbing Betty fades in the background along with a shell-shocked Jughead).

Violent reactions from bloggers came from fanatical Archie fans, others from people who hadn't read the series since high school immediately followed the news. The news that the perpetually 17-year-old teenager from Riverdale Heights was finally going to grow up and get married didn't seem to register; oh no, the issue was about Betty and Veronica.

Loyalties surfaced as people began either criticizing or defending Archie's decision to overlook Betty and propose to Veronica. The story was discussed passionately on blogs and on Twitter as bloggers jokingly applied the Archie story to real life. "Archie's a gold-digger," a friend told me on Twitter. Another said, "I'm surprised Ronnie said yes. But I think Archie will change his mind when they go through the prenup arrangements."

When clicking "Friend" fans [illegible] Betty and Veronica [illegible] ago, the tagline of the campaign was, "Are you a Betty or a Veronica?" It capitalized on the two opposing personalities so girls could pick one to identify with, and to literally wear their personalities on their sleeves. The latest development in the Archie campaign did this, as well.

"It's always been Veronica!" another friend wailed on Twitter. "Betty's just too nice. Archie needs a challenge! Oh God, am I talking about men in general? I'm a Betty!"

On the other hand, others believed that Archie marrying Veronica was actually good news—after the initial heartbreak—for Betty. "It's not a loss, Betty can do so much better," was another common reaction from bloggers.

And there were the men (mostly guys) who thought that Archie was right on. When the issue first came out, I posted a status message on Facebook, asking, "What makes a guy pick someone like Veronica over someone like Betty?"

The answers from guys were varied and hilarious. "Mas hot kasi si Veronica!" someone piped up. Another said, "Because she (Veronica) is hot and Archie's a scrub (a freeloader). Go, Reggie Mantle!" And another: "Because Veronica's like Paris Hilton and would likely allow Paris Hilton-ish stuff."

The girls also revealed a hint of bitterness in their answers. "Most of the guys are immature," said one. "Maybe that's the reason why they commonly choose the physically attractive girl over the one that is really for keeps." Another agreed, adding, "Most guys are masochists. They like to be treated badly but don't know it. That's why nice girls always finish last." And there was one who simply stated, "Because Betty's a doormat!"

But whatever people say about Archie and his girls, there's no doubt that the proposal sparked newfound interest in the aging Archie comics series, which was losing its fan base to more sophisticated video games and darker comic books.

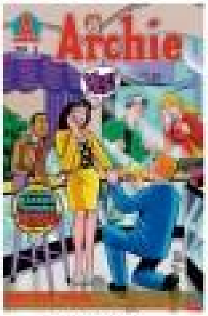
The irony of the whole situation is that the frenzied Betty vs. Veronica debate might actually be useless, as the creators of Archie and co. will probably recast the roles spot. "The Proposal: Archie Marries Veronica" is part one of three books dedicated to Veronica and Archie, while the remaining three books in the six-part series will reportedly be spent on Betty and Archie. This means that Betty will eventually have her turn in the wedding limelight, which will allow the blue-eyed blonde's wildest dreams to finally come true.

And no, it doesn't mean that the Riverdale gang will finally grow up and have babies, and die; the series is allegedly just a fictional post-college what-if arc in the Archie series, like another long dream sequence. But these are all rumors on the Internet, so fans are still awaiting official news from the creators of Archie.

Of course, there's still the issue that Archie proposed to Veronica first, which means that Betty is doomed to playing second fiddle once again. But then again, all's fair in love and war—even in a 68-year-old love triangle.

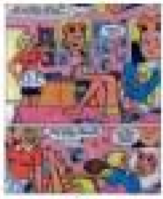
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THE BIG proposal

ARCHIE has always had the hots for Veronica.



BETTY'S obsessed with Archie.



A 68-YEAR-OLD love triangle

The crazy life of one wimpy kid



By Pam Pastor

NEVER CALL IT A diary. Unless you want to piss off Greg Heffley. It's a journal, says the star of "Diary of a Wimpy Kid" series. "Don't expect me to be all 'Dear Diary' this and 'Dear Diary' that," he says.

Written and illustrated by Jeff Kinney, this series chronicles the middle school misadventures of wimpy Greg in text and cartoons. Jeff calls it "a novel in cartoons." We call it crazy fun.

From web comic to bestseller lists, "Diary of a Wimpy Kid" has been making waves here and abroad. Greg Heffley is no Harry Potter—no wizard, no owl, no magic. So why is this ordinary boy taking over bookshelves all around the world?

Two words—he's funny.

Author Jeff said in his website, "I wanted to write a story about all of the funny parts of growing up, and some of the serious parts. I had a pretty ordinary childhood, but a lot of humorous stuff happened along the way. So I decided to write a book about what it's really like to be a kid, or at least what it was like for me. My goal was to write a book that made people laugh."

Bestsellers

The stories were originally released on the website Funbrain.com until New York Publishing House Amulet scooped up and released the novel-slash-cartoons as a book series, with "some new twists and turns."

The first one, "Diary of a Wimpy Kid," landed number one on the New York Times Bestseller list. The books that followed were all bestsellers too. The books have become such a hit that Jeff was included in Time Magazine's list of "100 Most Influential People" this year.

Although written for kids, teenagers and adults enjoy the books, too. Amazon shopper M. Hood said, "I purchased this book for my nine-year-old for his birthday. He had asked for it a few times and when I got it I was just going to take a quick look but I couldn't put it down! I found myself laughing out loud."—M. Hood

The series has also gotten the thumbs-up for getting even kids who don't normally like books to read. It might work on non-reading adults too. "Diary of a Wimpy Kid" fan Mel Olsen says, "One of the best features about Jeff's books: after you put them in your kids' hands is that you don't have to worry about heroines going dead. They're kid-powered, fueled by imagination and driven by humor."

Juvenile

The books have gotten some flak for being juvenile but Jeff is quick to say that people shouldn't look at Greg as a role model. "Greg is self-centered and can be kind of clueless. I don't think Greg is a bad kid—but like all of us, he has his faults. Hopefully readers will understand that Greg's imperfections are what make him funny. I think that readers will understand that and will also see that doing the right thing isn't a little boring. I wanted to create a character who was more realistic."

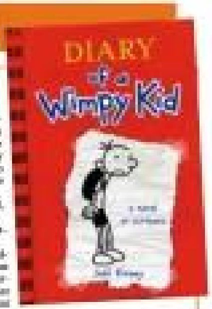
Jeff is only getting started—he has announced the release of two more books on his website, the next one coming out in October.

The rights to "The Diary of a Wimpy Kid" series have also been snapped up by Twentieth Century Fox. They are planning to make the feature film soon.

Pick up the books before the movie hits the big screen and enjoy the crazy adventures of Greg, his parents, his bully older brother Rodrick, annoying younger brother Manny, even wimpier best friend Rowley and their other friends.

The truth is, Greg doesn't even seem to be wimpy. Except when he's trying to run away from bullies. He's funny, immature, scheming (occasionally) and he's smart. Calling him wimpy is selling him short. You'll know when you start reading his diary.

"The Diary of a Wimpy Kid" series is available at National Bookstore branches nationwide.



'Diary of a Wimpy Kid'

The first in the series, this introduces Greg Heffley to the world, a young boy forced by his mom to keep a diary just as he enters middle school.

Unleashed: April 1, 2007

Amazon.com rating: 4 ½ stars

Amazon.com feedback: "Jeff Kinney has written such a marvelous 'boy book' that for every parent that walks in the door of my library I'm going to be recommending this one over their sons. Heck, I'll slip it into their purses if I have to. It's just something that every single person will get a kick out of."—E.B. Bird

Highlights: The Cheese Touch, trick or treating, wrestling in gym class, the Wizard of Oz, Christmas gifts, the giant snowman, Greg and Rowley trying out to be cartoonists in the school paper.

Memorable moment of wimpiness: Building the uber-lived haunted house in Rowley's house and Greg playing one of the trees in "The Wizard of Oz."

'Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Rodrick Rules'

Greg is back. His father just forced him to join the swim team, he's battling against his brother Rodrick and he is trying desperately to keep an embarrassing secret from the previous summer under wraps.

Unleashed: February 1, 2008

Amazon.com rating: 5 stars

Amazon.com feedback: "Picked on as a kid? How popular were you? You aren't sure if you want to sympathize with Greg, laugh or hug him or kick the living snot out of him. But this is so cool. And hilarious! The kids can share the character on the box screen."—Candy

Highlights: Greg gets a penpal, the invisible "Cheap Dupe", Mom Bucks, Magick and Monsters, sleeping at Grandpa's.

Memorable moment of wimpiness: Rodrick's party, the talent show, Greg's embarrassing secret.



'Diary of a Wimpy Kid: The Last Straw'

Greg's father is bent on getting him to toughen up and has even threatened to send Greg to military school. But Greg has bigger things on his mind – like snaring the Holly Hills to dance.

Unleashed: January 13, 2009

Amazon.com rating: 5 stars

Amazon.com feedback: "The Wimpy Kid series should not be confined to people under 16 as I highly urge adults to read all three as soon as possible. My sides hurt and yes, my eyes watered. The book is so funny and each one is funnier than the last."—Lynn Tiley-wood

Highlights: Greg and Rowley buy a time capsule, Greg joins the soccer team, Tingy the missing dictionary, the snack fund, Valentine cards, the dance.

Memorable moment of wimpiness: The Heffley family goes to church on Easter Sunday, Greg joins the Boy Scouts.



'Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Do-It-Yourself Book'

Unlike the other three books, the DIY book isn't really part of the series—it's a fun activity book. Released between "Rodrick Rules" and "The Last Straw," this book gives "Diary of a Wimpy" fans the chance to answer questions from their favorite characters, make their own comics, exercise their own wit and creativity and keep their own diary.

Unleashed: October 1, 2008

Amazon.com rating: 5 stars

Amazon.com feedback: "Ok, I know this was mainly aimed for kids but I'm a grown adult and I love this quirky DIY book. Having a diary/journal design helps ease your mind and unwind your emotions. I recommend this book. The cartoons are funny as well. It opens up the creative side... not just for kids but adults as well."—The Fallen Angel

Highlights: Predict the future, unfinished comics, design your dream house, things you should do before you get old.



Other kiddie reads

Here are other reasons to raid the children's section of your favorite bookstores

MAYBE YOU READ them while growing up, or maybe you missed them entirely. Whether you're picking them up again or for the first time, these books are worth a read.

1. Anastasia Krupnik books by Lois Lowry. Award-winning author Lois Lowry created Anastasia Krupnik in 1979. Since then, she has written nine books that center on Anastasia's life as a ten to thirteen-year-old. Born to a father who is a poet and a mom who is an illustrator for children's books, Anastasia is a headstrong, creative girl with a flair for drama. Lowry's books tell the tales of Anastasia's adventures, from getting her first job and playing cupid for an uncle, to going to charm school and answering a personal ad. The books are fun, funny and timeless. Pick up Lois Lowry's books about Anastasia's younger brother Sam, too.

2. Books by Judy Blume. Judy Blume has written countless novels for kids and teens. Her books, which have been translated into 31 languages, cover even the most delicate of subject matters from divorce, bullying and racism to menstruation, masturbation and teen sex. Memorable titles include "Forever," "Blubber," "Deenie," "Just As Long As We're Together" and "Are You There God? It's Me, Margaret."

3. Ramona Quimby books by Beverly Cleary. She begins as Beezus' exasperating little sister in Beezus and Ramona, but later on dominates Beverly Cleary's books. She's funny, quirky and an interesting little girl, and you can read about her in "Ramona the Pest," "Ramona the Brave," "Ramona and her Father," "Ramona and Her Mother," "Ramona Quimby, Age 8," "Ramona Forever" and "Ramona's World."

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Our fearless survey on frozen yogurt

This cold treat is the hottest craze



RED Mango's fro-yo with fruity pebbles, kiwi and mango

By Joti Angela Q. Segovia

BETTER THAN ICE CREAM, aids digestion, contains probiotics and live cultures, 98 percent fat free!"

That's the cheery claim by all brands in the dessert craze—frozen yogurt or "fro yo." Multiple malls of the last, candy dessert have mushroomed, with versions of the supposed healthier alternative to ice cream.

It's high time we did a survey of leading fro-yo brands, based on quality, taste and affordability.

With me on this taste trip were Sandy and Ching: the first, a famous tendinous fro yo lover; the latter, a fickle but open-minded non-yogurt lover.

The Fro-Yo Tab Rating

1 Tab

You're better off with another kind of dessert than this fro-yo.

2 Tabs

So-so frozen yogurt you can settle for when there's nothing else available.

3 Tabs

Very good; not the best, but worth your money.

4 Tabs

Highly recommended. The best on our list.



The Ice Cream Bar: Room by FIC

Jupiter Street, Jupiter Drive corner Rockwell Power Plant, Rockwell Center, Makati

Fancy musings: More of an ice cream restaurant than bar, FIC has original ice cream concoctions and an all-you-can ice cream buffet on Thursdays, for P399 a head, from 2 to 10 p.m.

Digging in: Single frozen yogurt for P120, without toppings. Menu has topping combinations, but its design misled us into thinking the topping combination, with fro-yo, cost P120. With each topping from P15 to P35, we ended up paying more. Also, it's one size, one order; there's only one size available.

I got the "sold outdoors" (Kiwi, Strawberry, Blueberries) with additional granola, Sandy got Green Tea with Blueberries, and Ching got "tropical chunks" (mango, mango tropical) corn flakes.

The natural yogurt is shiny, but a bit bland. A tip: granola is too chunky a fro-yo complement. Sandy took one spoon of Green Tea and beamed—"Lasang Green Tea Frappe ng Starbucks. Masyadong Green Tea." Because of that experience, she vowed. Always try natural first.

Ching was delighted by her order's presentation, but said she preferred the natural flavor of other brands. With so-so servings, and our bill ranging from P120 to P180 each, we were generally disappointed.

Freezing Point: Go for the ice cream, not the frozen yogurt. 2



GREEN tea with blueberries

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Our fearless ...



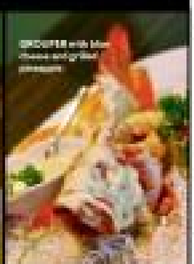






'Molecular gastronomy' is here



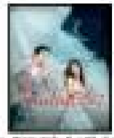


If foie gras wrapped in cotton candy seems bizarre, think again

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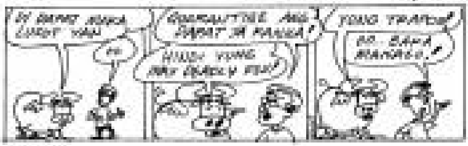


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By Jim Davis



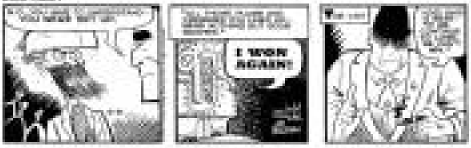
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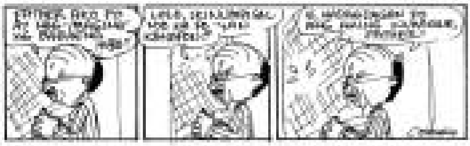
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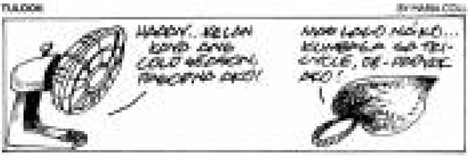


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By Jerry Scott



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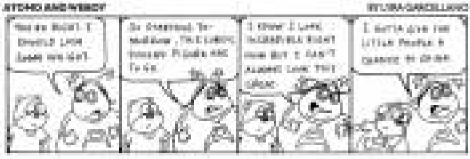


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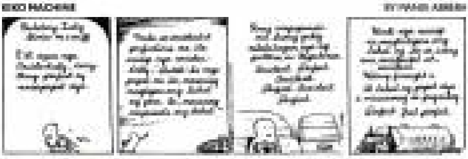
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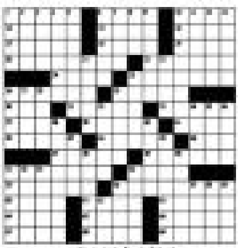
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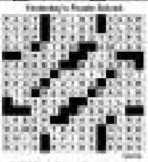


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CROSSWORD PUZZLE





HOROSCOPE

By Francis Drake

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Conceptis Sudoku

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Difficulty Level ★★★★

HOW TO PLAY SU DOKU

Answer to previous puzzle

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Pop confessions, present-day women

Three artists create inspired, relevant and chart-topping music



KATY PERRY



TAYLOR SWIFT



LILY ALLEN



CEBUANO MARATHON RUNNERS. Dr. Yong Larrazabal (left) poses with Dr. Peter Mancao (center) and James Abilla (right) after joining the Big Sur International Marathon 2009 last April 26 in Monterey, California. They were among the 4,300 runners who joined the 26.2 mile race considered as the "best marathon in North America" in the most beautiful coastline in the world.

One Click Away

Five engaging websites that are worth a visit

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The long and shirt of it



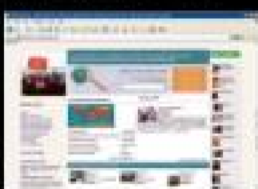
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The girls have it on 'Next Big Star'



Shrill bleats

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Eminem, 'AI' champs, Pinoys grace Billboard's pop charts



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DUPLICITY / DRAG ME TO HELL

LUZON

VISAYAS - MINDANAO

Triple threats dominated Hollywood's classic musicals

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CAGNEY: Won an Oscar for his performance in "Yankee Doodle Dandy."

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Youthful exuberance

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Highly competitive

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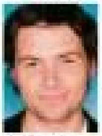






Michael Johns releases debut album

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JOHNS: Grabs new fame.

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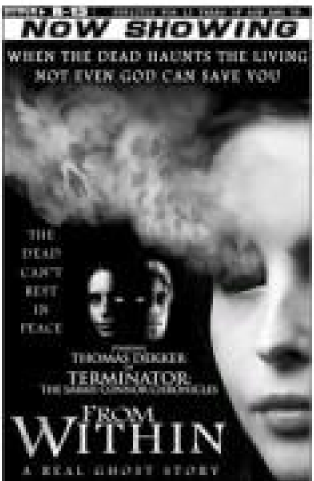
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Will Ferrell's costars...

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Will Ferrell's costars share how they try not to laugh in scenes with him



FERRELL: "If you're going to get into comedy, you shouldn't be afraid of doing something embarrassing."

ONLY IN HOLLYWOOD



Ruben V. Nepales

LOS ANGELES—Will Ferrell in children's underwear. Trying not to laugh at that sight was the toughest challenge for Danny McBride when he was filming the comedy-adventure, "Land of the Lost," with the comedian. "It's constantly hard not to crack up around Will,"

...admired Danny, whose credits include "Tropic Thunder," "Observe and Report," "Pineapple Express," "Foot Fist Way" and "Superbad."

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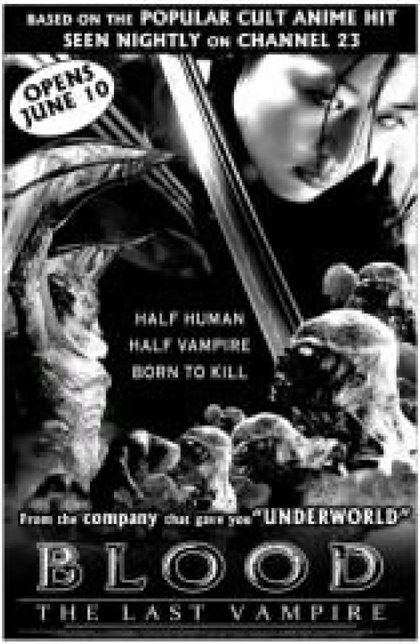
Leaves with culinary benefits

LOTUS POND



R. Valencia and S. Hiomark

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Lipa's 'hybrid' noodles

WORD OF MOUTH



Sandy Daza

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Memorable screen mentors inspire viewers



WILLIAMS. Portrayed John Keating in "Dead Poet's Society"

Diverse characters

Rediscovering Guimaras

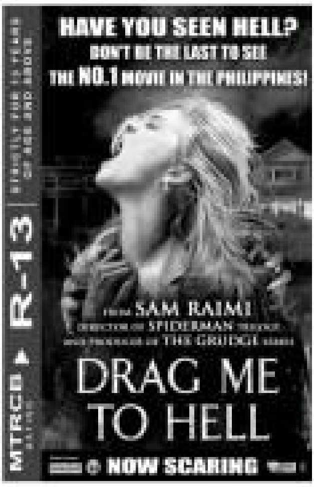
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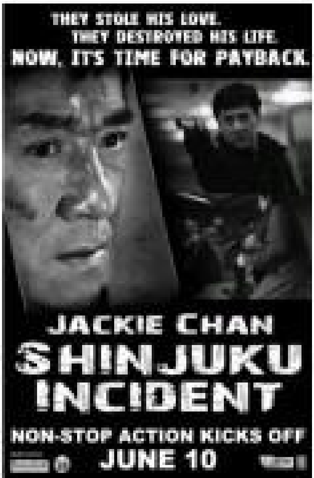


Program

Sequel covers overly familiar territory







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ROBINSONS MOVIEWORLD CINEMA MOVIE GUIDE

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1 TERMINATOR: SALVATION	6 FROM WITHIN
2 TERMINATOR: SALVATION	7 X-MEN ORIGIN / HOUSE
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4 DRAG ME TO HELL	9 BFF: BEST FRIEND FOREVER
5 ANGELS & DEMONS	10 DALAW

ERMITA

1 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM 2	4 TERMINATOR: SALVATION
2 FROM WITHIN	5 ANGELS & DEMONS
3 DRAG ME TO HELL	6 DALAW
	7 BFF: BEST FRIEND FOREVER

METRO EAST

1 FROM WITHIN	5 ANGELS & DEMONS
2 TERMINATOR: SALVATION	6 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM 2
3 TERMINATOR: SALVATION	7 DALAW
4 DRAG ME TO HELL	8 BFF: BEST FRIEND FOREVER

NOVALICHES	PIONEER
1 DALAW	1 TERMINATOR: SALVATION
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3 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM 2	3 DRAG ME TO HELL
4 DRAG ME TO HELL	4 FROM WITHIN



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1 TERMINATOR: SALVATION	1 TERMINATOR: SALVATION
2 DRAG ME TO HELL	2 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM 2
3 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM 2	3 ANGELS & DEMONS
4 DED NA SI LOLO	4 BFF: BEST FRIENDS FOREVER

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1 TERMINATOR: SALVATION	1 TERMINATOR: SALVATION
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3 DRAG ME TO HELL	3 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM 2
4 DED NA SI LOLO	4 DED NA SI LOLO

STARMILLS

1 TERMINATOR: SALVATION	4 DRAG ME TO HELL
2 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM 2	5 BFF: BEST FRIENDS FOREVER
3 ANGELS & DEMONS	6 GHOSTS OF THE GF'S PAST

ANGELES

1 TERMINATOR: SALVATION
2 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM 2
3 DRAG ME TO HELL
4 GHOSTS OF THE GF'S PAST

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3 ANGELS & DEMONS	3 ANGELS & DEMONS
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5 DRAG ME TO HELL	5 DRAG ME TO HELL
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Broadway posts record grosses



Great show

Revivals

Spotlight marks first anniversary



Professional theater

Excerpts



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Bad choices haunt Halili in horror flick



Gruesome secrets

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Sequel covers . . .

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Understanding women's nutritional needs

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